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Home Storage of Apples.

The successful home storage of apples in a changeable climate such as that of Missouri, becomes a serious problem because of the loss from rotting. There are certain factors, however, under the control of the grower which influence greatly the keeping qualities of apples.

Apples for winter use are usually stored in an underground cellar or in an outdoor pit. If a cellar is used it must be well ventilated but kept above freezing. In the fall it is best to open the ventilators at night and close them during the warmer days. Trap all water drains to prevent the loss of cold air. If the outdoor pit is used, heap up the apples on the surface of the ground, put a thin layer of earth over the straw. Later thicken the covering of earth so as to prevent freezing.

For best keeping qualities apples should be picked as they are well colored and before they are over-ripe. However, if picked too green they will shrivel, while if allowed to become too ripe they will become dry and mealy. Avoid all bruises in picking and store only those fruits which are free from disease and insect injuries.

Tight packages should not be used in the underground cellar. Best results are often obtained by the use of open bins. Ventilated boxes are also quite satisfactory. Whatever package is used, however, good ventilation is imperative.

Varieties differ greatly in keeping qualities. The Ingram, York, Winesap, Gayno, and Ben Davis are among the longest keepers while Jonathan and Grimes have only a comparatively short season.

J. F. Stowers Lawyer.

Our old townsman J. F. Stowers was admitted to the bar in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, last week. There were 57 who scored and 18 failed. Frank will make a good one. We congratulate him and will take the first opportunity which offer to hear him orate.

Blackleg in Cattle

The Missouri State Board of Agriculture, and State Veterinarian, Dr. D. F. Luckey, at Columbia, are receiving messages and letters concerning outbreaks of blackleg in young cattle, indicative that the disease appears to be more prevalent than it has been for a number of years. Secretary Jewell Mayes calls special attention to the following interview by Doctor Luckey:—

"The symptoms of blackleg are very easily recognized by anyone who has ever seen a case. As a rule, the disease appears in a lot of young cattle when on good feed or pasture and making rapid growth. As a rule, it affects the fattest calves in the lot. It runs a very rapid course, lasting as a rule, from twelve to twenty-four hours and almost invariably results in death. The calf first shows lameness. Within a few hours, a swelling appears on some parts of the body and generally on one of the quarters. Rubbing the swelling causes a crackling sound beneath the skin. When the animal is skinned, the affected portion appears bruised as if it had been hit with a club. These symptoms are unmistakable.

"The carcasses of blackleg calves should be thoroughly burned in order to destroy infection and prevent the spread of the disease. If these carcasses are not burned, the infection will remain on the premises for years and make cattle-growing unprofitable unless all young cattle are regularly vaccinated.

"Whenever there is an outbreak of blackleg, all the young cattle in the community should be vaccinated. In the event that a case is lost in a herd, and a little time would be required to secure the vaccine, it is advisable to reduce the feed so that they will shrink slightly. They are not so apt to develop blackleg while shrinking as while gaining in weight. Three days after the vaccine is administered, they may be put back on full feed or good pasture."

Base Ball Injuries.

Thirty-five deaths and 918 injured were caused by base ball during 1914, according to records made public today by J. R. Vickery, who has made a study of the effect of the national pastime on the life and health of young America. Of the players who died from injuries 20 were hit by pitched ball, five were struck by bats, four were in collisions, four overexerted themselves, one was killed in a fight. Injuries to amateur players are classified as following: Broken limbs, 314; dangerous injuries, 42; serious injuries, 23; concussion of brains 18; fractured skulls 13; paralysis, 4; sprains 37; spikes, 26; fractures, 17; dislocations, 7; torn ligaments, 10; injured eyes, 7; teeth knocked out, 4. Players hurt in the minor leagues numbered, 116; American League, 69; National League, 61 Federal League, 56; college teams, 8, and prairie teams, 86.

Woolridge-Scott

The marriage of Clarence Woolridge of Marceline and Miss Nellie Scott of Hamden occurred Monday about 2 P. M. at the office of the recorder of deeds, Justice R. D. Edwards pronouncing the ceremony. The wedding was witnessed by the court house attaches and the father of the groom who accompanied the pair to the court house.

CARROLL

The auction of the property of the late Col. John B. Hale including city lots and 30 acres of farm property at Carroll a week ago brought the sum of \$5,176.

The county board of health last week announced that small-pox had prevailed in the county during the past year. The cases had been light and many did not even consult a physician and continued to go around as usual. The result is that the board has ordered all persons exposed to infection, or who know of a case of the disease to report the same at once to the board of health and asked that people remain as much at home as possible to minimize the opportunities of spreading contagion.

Mrs. Samuel Clinkscales of Carrollton died at her home at the age of 75 years, Wednesday, December 5. She had been complaining but little. She was born in Howard county and to her marriage were born seven children, all of whom died in infancy or young womanhood. Burial from the Baptist church the following Saturday.

Dr. A. P. Terrell died at Ft. Worth, Texas, after an illness of four months Dec. 3 and the re-

mains were brought to Carrollton for burial where the interment was in the Oak Cliff cemetery. Dr. Terrell had until of late been prominently identified with the medical profession at Dallas, Texas.

The burial of the late James R. Macoubrie occurred at the Mt. Gilead church Tuesday, November 1. The deceased was 73 years old when he died.

Burglars entered the depot at Carrollton Monday of last week and secured \$54 in cash. The robbery was between 6 and 7 o'clock. They also stole a revolver.

Mrs. Rachel Tracy, age 72 years, died at her home in Norborne, November 28 after a short illness. She was born in W. Va. but has lived in this country for many years. She leaves her husband and ten children, remaining of a family of twelve born to her marriage.

Wokmen while drilling on the farm of David Newham, 8 miles northwest of Norborne penetrated a seven foot vein of coal at the depth of 80 feet. The vein is covered with limestone and is twice the size of the usual coal vein in that neighborhood.

Hugh W. Kavenaugh, nephew of Mrs. P. F. Hill of Norborne was killed at his home in Ray county, Thanksgiving day by a

horse that he was riding after some cows.

Frank and Amos Viles who broke jail at Richmond in 1914. Being held for criminal charges, were recaptured a week ago near Hale. The sheriff of Carroll was notified of their presence and sent for the sheriff of the adjoining county and together they picked up their men. Frank is wanted for burglary at Lawson and Amos for jail-breaking.

MARRIAGE LICENSES:—Ben Fisher, Lexington and Mrs. Orpha Fisher, La Plata; Virgil C. Simpson, Hale and Miss Minnie Warren, Carrollton; Marlow Stewart, Carrollton and Miss Susanna Vogt, Bogard.

10,000 Professions

"Billy" Sunday is about to close a revival at Des Moines, Ia., where there have been more than 10,000 professions of religion. It is said that under the referendum a movement is to be commenced to close the saloons of that town.

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Wednesday morning, Littler filed a motion for a trial and Judge Sheldon to let the hearing on motion go over until the first of May 1915 as that is the first time he will have an opportunity to get back here to hear the case. In the meantime Littler is out on bond until the hearing on the motion for a new trial.

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